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APPLICATION. NO.: 10/585,867
 APPLICANT: Thomas BENGTTSSON et al.
 INTERNATIONAL APPL. NO.: PCT/SE2004/001883
 CONF.: 1639
 FILED: July 11, 2006
 FOR: A TEST KIT FOR DETECTING
 PERIODONTAL DISEASE

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING
REQUIREMENTS OF AN APPLICATION**

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Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.494 or 37 C.F.R. § 1.495, attached hereto are the following additional items necessary for entering the national phase in connection with the above-identified PCT international application.

- ☒ Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
 - ☐ Original ☒ Photocopy
- ☐ The specification attached to the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney is a true copy of the specification which was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on , including any amendments thereto (if applicable) filed on even date therewith.

☒ The undersigned hereby declares that "Attorney Docket No. 10400-000091/US/NPB" on page 1 of the attached inventors' Declaration filed on May 7, 2009 corresponds to Appl. No. 10/585,867 filed on July 11, 2006 entitled "A TEST KIT FOR DETECTING PERIODONTAL DISEASE."

☐ English language specification, claims, and Abstract with () sheets of drawings.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

☒ Attached is a copy of Form PCT/DO/EO/905- Notification of Missing Requirements.

☒ No extension fee is required because the undersigned has filed the documents within the allotted time given by the Notification of Missing Requirements (Form PCT/DO/EO/905). However, if for some reason it is determined that an extension of time is necessary, applicant hereby respectfully petitions for an extension of time for the filing of the present paper in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

☐ Applicant(s) hereby respectfully petitions for two (2) month(s) extension of time for the filing of the present paper in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. The required fee of \$0.00 is attached hereto.

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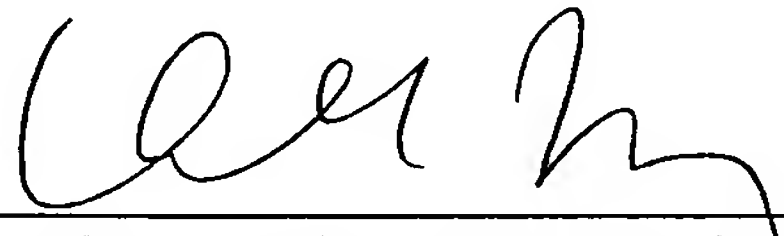
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Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments: Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements
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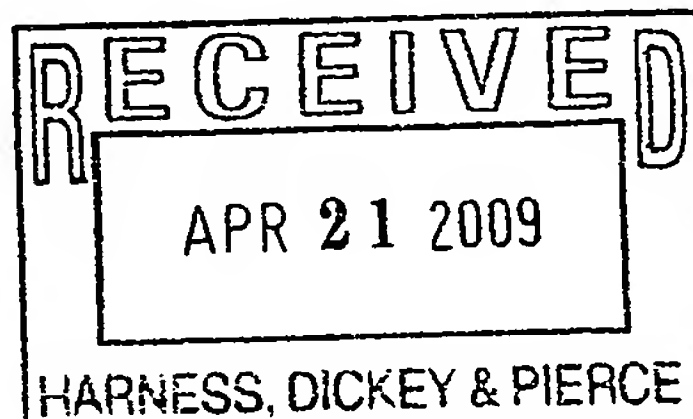
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/11/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/11/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 07/11/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/11/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/11/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 07/11/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/11/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 07/11/2006

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

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Action Due Date	6/20/09
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Action	Missing requirements
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